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For: LEPTIN AS AN INHIBITOR OF)
 TUMOR CELL PROLIFERATION)

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 29, 2003, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.